

UNITED STATES CONTINUING UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION
under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b)

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Enclosed herewith is a continuing patent application and the following papers:

First Named Inventor (or application identifier): Michael C. Kiefer

Title of Invention: EXPRESSION AND USE OF HUMAN FIBROBLAST RECEPTOR

- ☐ Continuation
☒ Divisional
☐ Continuation-in-Part
of prior application No. 08/439,992, filed May 12, 1995

1. ☒ Specification 29 pages (including specification, claims, abstract) / 21 claims (5 independent)
2. ☒ Declaration/Power of Attorney:
 - ☒ Copy from Prior Application (for continuation or divisional application)
 - ☐ Newly Executed Declaration (for CIP application)
 - ☐ Deferred under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f)
 - ☐ Deletion of Inventor(s) - Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)
 - ☒ Incorporation by Reference - The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein
3. ☒ 2 Distinct sheets of ☒ Formal ☐ Informal Drawings
4. ☒ Preliminary Amendment
5. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement
 - ☒ Form 1449
 - ☐ A copy of each cited prior art reference
6. ☒ Assignment
 - ☐ Assignment with Cover Sheet attached
 - ☒ Assignment filed in prior application. Application assigned to: **Chiron Corporation**
7. ☐ Priority is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based upon the following application(s):

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Country	Application Number	Date of Filing (day, month, year)
U.S.	08/315,686	30 September 1994
U.S.	08/046,020	12 April 1993
U.S.	07/640,029	11 January 1991

8. ☐ Priority document(s)
9. ☐ Small Entity Statement
- ☐ Small Entity Statement was filed in prior application, Small Entity Status is still proper and desired
- ☐ is attached
- ☐ is no longer claimed
10. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
11. ☒ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission
- ☐ Computer Readable Copy
- ☒ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
- ☒ Statement verifying identity of above copies

12. Calculation of Fees:

FEES FOR	EXCESS CLAIMS	FEE	AMOUNT DUE
Basic Filing Fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(a))			\$690.00
Total Claims in Excess of 20 (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(c))	6	18.00	\$108.00
Independent Claims in Excess of 3 (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b))	7	78.00	\$546.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(d))	0	260.00	\$0.00
Subtotal - Filing Fee Due			\$1,344.00
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Reduction by 50%, if Small Entity (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9, 1.27, 1.28)	0		\$0.00
TOTAL FILING FEE DUE			\$1,344.00
Assignment Recordation Fee (if applicable) (37 C.F.R. § 1.21(h))	0	40.00	\$0.00
GRAND TOTAL DUE			\$1,344.00

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- ☒ A general authorization under 37 C.F.R. § 1.25(b), second sentence, is hereby given to charge our Deposit Account No. 19-0733 for the instant filing and for any other fees during the pendency of this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18
- ☐ not included, but deferred under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f).

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15. Other: Please make a computer readable form for examination of this application from the computer readable form submitted in parent application Serial No. 08/479,992. The sequence content of the computer readable form and the paper copy in the application are believed to be identical.

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